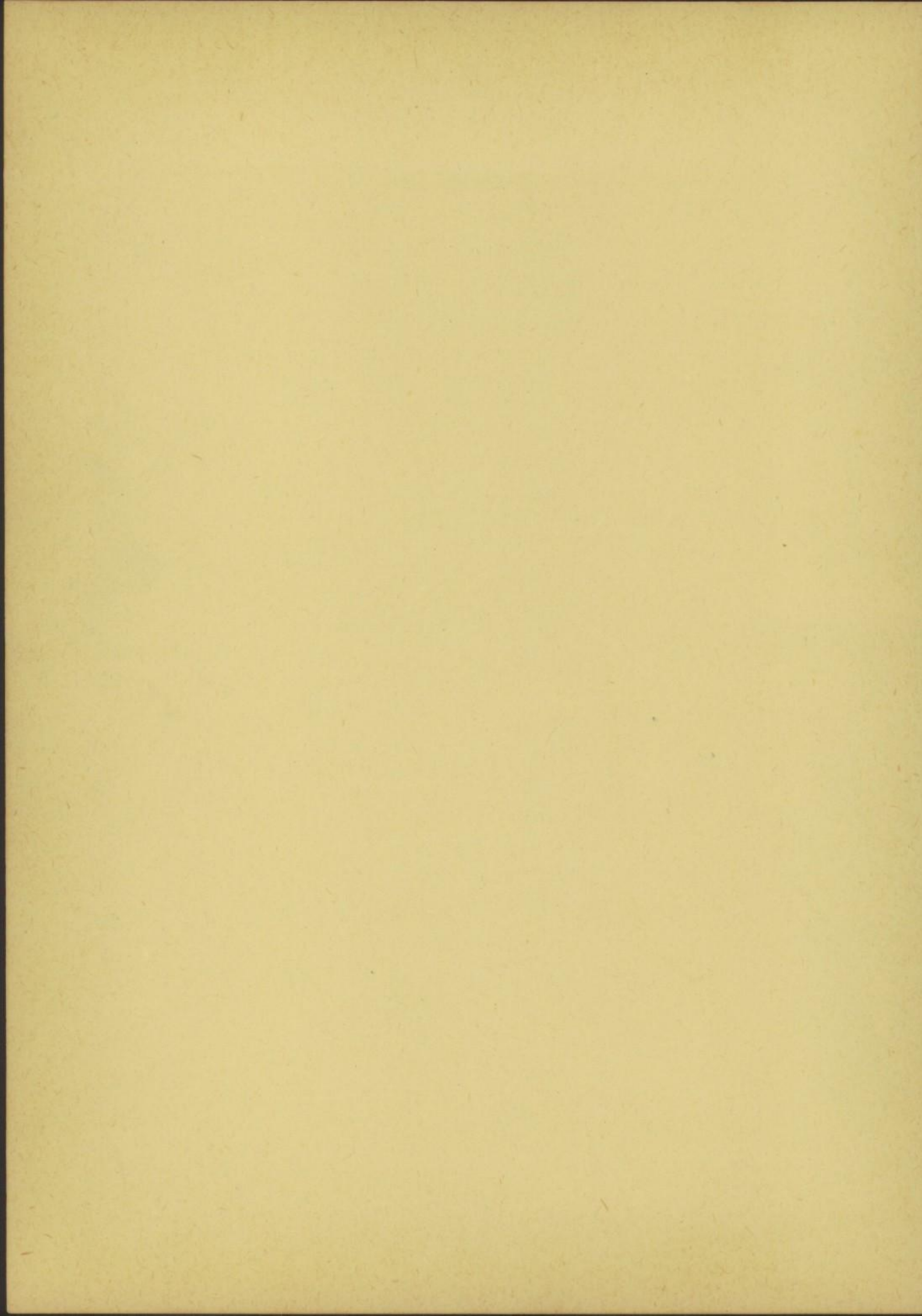


Piccadune
1948

Dear John
That's all she wrote
By
Raymond W. Engel

Don't know
how to
write
this
thing
any more

Good Luck to a
bright American history
student. Real Howard.



Our School *

. . . A youthful drama in three acts . . . depicting the Life
People and Times of 1948 at John Greer High School,
Hoopeston, Illinois.

The 1948

Picayune

* With due apologies to Thornton
Wilder and his great play, *Our Town*.



Time: 1947-1948



. . . the year when John Greer was number thirteen on the list of prep basketball teams, when we got our new lounge room, and the Band won first in the state wide Band Marching contest at Normal . . . when the new industrial arts building was first used . . . the year that our coach was selected "Coach of the week" by United Press . . .



Place: John Greer High School



In the seats . . . in the class room . . . in the halls
. . . on the stairs . . . in the Student Lounge . . . in the
office . . . in the tunnel . . . in Senior hall . . . in the
gym . . . on the stage . . . in all the places where stu-
dents gather . . . in all places where our memories are
planted to remember "our times."

Now we present for our pleasure and your enjoyment



Producers

In this drama of life it has been a pleasure to be one of your Directors for the past four years here at John Greer.

To make any play a success it requires the cooperation of the stars, the supporting cast, the stage managers and the stage hands. You have all cooperated beautifully with me for which I am grateful.

My wish is that each of you may become a star in Life's great Play.

Jared T. Lyon, Superintendent

Last fall, on September 2nd, everything was ready for the grand opening. The stage was set, the players were all made up, the prompters and directors were in their places and last minute instructions had been given.

The play "John Greer High School, Year 1947-48" was on. From the beginning to the end it was a success. As principal I wish to thank each member of the student body and the faculty for their cooperation in completing a job well done. To the seniors I wish to say congratulations, and may life's stage be filled with success and happiness.

Sheldon Bross, Principal



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1st row—Astroth II, in his father's footsteps? All dressed up and someplace to go (Arcola), Violet. Ahem! 2nd row—Miss Finch, Strut your stuff, Helen, Hi-Ho Silver. 3rd row—Jensen and Trophy, Nomie comes out fightin', Turn on the Heat. 4th row—A Pressing matter, Now, Now, Mary Lou; Alice and Peggy fold programs, Everybody in step? 5th row—Stop mugging, Thespians. Steps to becoming Homemakers.

Stars of the Show

The Seniors of J. G. H. S.



Top Row

Dick McFarland

Class pres., Football,
Thespians, Student Council.

Dick Arnold (no picture)

Basketball, football, baseball,
Book Club.

Marilyn Griner

Thespians, Student Council,
Chit Chat, Aide.

Bottom Row

Harry Beam

Industrial Arts Club,
Lettermen's Club,
Basketball.

Phyllis Bell

Thespians, Chit Chat,
Picayune, Music.

Irene Bjorklund

F.H.A., Picayune

Dow Cooksey

Honor Society, Student
Council, Book Club,
Picayune.

Virginia Conner

F.H.A., Chorus.



Top Row

Pauline Coop

Chit Chat,
Picayune, F.H.A.,
Spanish Club.

Carol Crouch

Spanish Club,
Band, Spotlight,
Student Council.

Shirley Daugherty

Chit Chat, Cheerleader,
Lettermen's Club, Thespians.

Jerry Echard

Thespians, Spanish Club,
Basketball, Book Club.

Betty Fawver

Chit Chat, Cheerleader,
Lettermen's Club, F.H.A.

Bottom Row

Charles Finley

Honor Society, Band,
Spanish Club, Book Club.

Lester Glover

Mary Jane Gray

G.A.A., Spanish Club,
F.H.A.

Dolores Gustine

G.A.A., Thespians,
Spanish Club,
Student Council.

Pauline Hixson

Student Council,
Honor Society, G.A.A.,
Music, Thespians.

Stars of the Show

The Seniors of J. G. H. S.



Top Row

Ronald Holt

Football, Basketball,
Industrial Arts.

Betty Hopkins

Band, G.A.A.,
Picayune, Cheerleader.

Eugene Justice

Football, Aide.

Lorene Lawrence

F.H.A., Band, Aide,
Honor Society.

Milton Linn

Manager-Football, Basketball,
Spanish Club, Lettermen's Club.

Bottom Row

Jane Littick

Honor Society, G.A.A.,
Spotlight, Band.

Maxine Longfellow

F.H.A., Aide.

Max Longfellow

Student Council, Aide,
Spotlight, Picayune.

Rosemary Misner

Chorus.

Fannie Moore



Top Row

Peggy Musk

Honor Society, F.H.A.,
Concessions, Student Council.

Eugene Myers

Baseball, Football,
Basketball, Lettermen's Club.

Herbert Neathery

Football, Basketball,
Baseball, Thespians.

Jack Neathery

East Lynn 1, 2,
Basketball, Baseball,
Thespians.

June Nelson

F.H.A., Picayune,
Chit Chat.

Bottom Row

Jean Olson

Book Club, Honor
Society, Spanish Club,
Spotlight.

Pearl Olson

G.A.A., F.H.A.,
Book Club.

Ellaretta Pierce

F.H.A., Thespians,
Book Club, Spanish Club.

Lloyd Powers

Industrial Arts, Thespians.

Roy Powley

Band, Orchestra,
Spanish Club, Thespians.

Stars of the Show

The Seniors of J. G. H. S.



Top Row

Todd Ratzesburger

Spanish Club, Thespians,
Student Council, Book Club.

Harold Ray

Band, Spanish Club.

Patricia Regan

Band, Thespians, Chorus,
Spanish Club.

Mary Lou Reynolds

Thespians, G.A.A., Spanish Club,
Book Club.

Bob Saffel

Lettermen's Club, Industrial Arts,
Basketball, Football.

Bottom Row

Patsy Silver

Band, Chorus.

Raymond Silver

Band, Thespians,
Picayune, Book Club.

Alyne Sims

Picayune, Spotlight,
Aide, F.H.A.

Lavonne Sinclair

G.A.A., Picayune.

Marian Smith

Band, Picayune.



Top Row

Esther Snively

Choral Club, F.H.A.

Helen Suhre

Honor Society, Band,
Book Club, F.H.A.

Kenneth Terry

Mary Lee Tucker

Thespians, Choral Club,
F.H.A., Mixed Chorus.

Bottom Row

Robert Vorick

Baseball, Industrial Arts,
Lettermen's, Basketball.

Joan Williams

Spanish Club, Book Club,
Picayune, Honor Society.

Earl Wise

Basketball, Industrial Arts,
Lettermen's Club.

Maedell Witty

G.A.A., F.H.A.

Charles Yoakum

Lettermen's Club, Industrial Arts,
Basketball, Football.

Featured Players

The Juniors

this year celebrated with several parties. By selling magazine subscriptions to customers, we raised the money with which we sponsored the annual Junior-Senior Prom, a gala event which took place on May 14.

Members of the class were nearly all participating in activities of the club organizations, etc. in school. We were especially well represented on the wonderful basketball team of '47-'48 by four juniors on the varsity five. We were also found at the speech and music contests, where we did equally well.

Yes, the Junior Class has a lot of work under its belt this year. This has been largely due to the efforts of Russell Cloud, president; Reid Martin, vice-president; Poseanne Freeland, secretary-treasurer, and the sponsors, Miss Below and Miss Meers.



JUNIOR CLASS

7th row, l to r.—
Dunlap, Brewington,
Bradham, Gatrell,
Curry, Sivilie, Brown,
Holmberg, Thomas.

6th row—Harring-
ton, Schmidt, Green-
berg, Trimble, Cole-
man, Potts, Adkins,
W. Gosset, Penning-
ton, Elliott.

5th row—Tarman,
Hedgecock, Sills, Scul-
lin, Hess, Wood, Ott,
Campbell, Clyden.

4th row—Miller,
Kincaid, Peers,
Stormer, Gholson,
Cline, Leemon,
Decker, Lutz.

3rd row—McCor-
mick, Pugh, Daniels,
Goodrich, Galloway,
Sims, Lockhart, Sher-
rill, Finch.

2nd row—Rector,
Deck, Swope, Nelson,
Combs, Barker, B.
Gossett, Goad.

1st row—Miss
Below, Cloud, Free-
land, Martin, Miss
Meers.

Supporting Cast

The Sophomores

has grown up since last year, when they were freshmen. At that time they were not too sure of themselves and were more than a little timid about entering the various school activities. They are right in there pitching now and have fairly clear ideas of what they want to do in the future. More power to them.

Last fall the sophomores held their annual class party. It was a combination weiner roast and hayride. Everyone seemed to enjoy himself, even though the wagon was almost overcrowded. Strangely enough, no one fell off.

The sophomore sponsors are Miss Neathery and Mr. Astroth. The class officers are Kay Freeland and Bill Wilson.



9th row — Olson, Castrodale, Carter, Gaddis, Metz, Brooks, Sims, Cartwright, Davis.

8th row — Clem, Whitlow, Ramsey, Camp, Clyden, Street.

7th row — Armstrong, Madison, Boughton, Crouch, Vorick.

6th row — Butts, Clark, Merritt, Toney, Brown, Compton, Scullin.

5th row — Evans, Gocking, Suddarth, Kelnhofer.

4th row — Riley, Robertson, Mac Murray, Murphy, Crumley, Sinclair, Owensby, Pruitt.

3rd row — Potts, Shinneman, Moore, Collins, Ingram, L. Carter, McVicker.

2nd row — Linn, Bridges, Hedgecock, Cawthon, R. Sims, Longfellow, Wintersteen.

1st row — Greene, Miss Neathery, K. Freeland, Wilson, Samaras, Correll, Van Vickie, Drollinger.

Other Actors

The Freshmen

hope they do not appear as green now as they did the first of the year. Thanks to their teachers and the remaining student body for making them feel at home.

A large number of the Freshmen boys turned out for football and basketball. The Freshmen girls had a basketball team, too, organized in their P. E. class. And they were champions, at that, over all the other classes.

The class officers this year were: D. Sherrill, President; H. Leftwich, Vice-president; B. Metz, Secretary and Treasurer.

They do not like to see this year go so soon, but to be Sophomores—!!



FRESHMAN

10th row—Gossett, Ervin, Goold, Allison.

9th row—Johnson, R. Drollinger, H. Drollinger, Winterstein, Worthall, Massingill, Butts.

8th row—Whiteman, Pustelnik, Russell, Correll, Comstock, Wantland.

7th row—Nuremburgh, Means, Schwab, Thomas, Jones, Huffman, Gocking.

6th row—Adams, McGinley, Browner, Walters, Floyd.

5th row—Wood, Carter, Moore, Good, McNeal, Mell, Brown, Wise, Lane, Kelly, Peers, Alkire.

4th row—Tucker, Preston, Wilson, Ratzesberger, Misner, C. Nelson, Huber, Gardner, Coon, Lutz, Glass, Kelenhofer, Mallott, Clements, Floyd.

3rd row—Norton, Kirts, Anderson, Aaron, Smith, Miller, Casner, Linsey, Hurst, Kinder.

2nd row—K. Davis, Galloway, Rector, Nicolson, J. Nelson, Clyden, Dean, Myers, Echard.

1st row—Glover, Holmberg, Longfellow, Sherrill, Metz, Leftwich, Foster, Miss Taylor.



1st row—"Lift up thine eyes", "Really rockin' ", Lounge Interlude. 2nd row—Our Lost Youth, Big snow this Winter, While Birney Roams. 3rd row—The New Building, Vigor girl. 4th row—The Play's the Thing (Earnest Act 3). 5th row—"The Band Plays On".

Synopsis of the Plot

SEPTEMBER

- 2—A shuffling of books and a rattling of papers and we're off for nine months of assorted pleasures.
- 9—The Student Council held its first meeting, with all members present.
- 12—Football season opens with a bang, or should I say kick, anyway we beat Arcola.
- 19—We did it again, Oakwood fell under John Greer pressure.
- 22—Junior magazine sales coming up, wonder if we'll beat the salesmen of last year?
- 26—Initiated Honeywell field by defeating Pontiac.
- 29—National Honor Society held their first meeting of the year.

OCTOBER

- 3—Plowed down the field for another victory, over Gibson City.
- 5—Opening day for fire prevention week, hide the matches, kids.
- 8—A cheery six weeks was over with, and we all patiently waited for our report cards.
- 9—Vacation, two whole days of it.
- 11—Traveled to a victory at Westville, yeah team!
- 17—Fatal day, cornjerkers defeated, but were cheerful losers.
- 22—Senior meeting, and election of officers, and McFarland did it again.
- 24—A come back, and a victory over Watseka.
- 27—Opening dance of the year was sponsored by the Honor Society. Something new was started, couples danced in their socks, on the GYM FLOOR!!
- 29—The up and coming freshmen got into the spirit of things at J. G. with a class meeting.
- 31—Kankakee tripped, on her trip to Hoopeston, because they were beaten by the Hoopeston Cornjerkers, although Herbie get knocked out of the game with some leg trouble.

NOVEMBER

- 1—The band marched off with 1st place at Normal. Yeah Jensen, yeah Shirley.
- 4—Only seven girls fainted, during freshman physical examinations, a record, I'd say.
- 4—Morale was down at the Georgetown game, and Herb was still sitting on the side lines. Sorry to say it, but we lost.
- 11—And another holiday.

- 13-14—The Seventh Key opened the door to another Allen Success.
- 17—Book Week begins. Kids you had better get a pair of glasses or two.
- 21—Basketball time again, and Hoopeston beats Bismark, for the first win of the season.
- 25—We did it again,—Henning.
- 26—Well, what do you know, report cards are here again.
- 27-28—Turkey day VACATION. How can you keep on a diet when you're surrounded by food.

DECEMBER

- 3—J. G. traveled to Ornarga to the 2nd victory this season.
- 4—Party time for the freshmen. Have fun, gang?
- 5—Catlin game, and another victory.
- 9—Walked over Sheldon with ease.
- 12—Rankin fell to J. G. team.
- 13—The team traveled to Mooseheart, and came home victorious.
- 16-19—Christmas Tourney brings J. G. another trophy to add to the case. We sure are proud of it too.
- 22—All fathers and sons enjoyed themselves at the banquet. Good eats.
- 23-15—Christmas Assembly, Nativity Scene and Carols. And don't forget Vacation!

JANUARY

- 5—Back at the books again, vacation sure goes fast. A new lounge to relax in is ready. Thanks, Student Council.
- 6—The Student body enjoyed an afternoon of light opera by the St. Regis Trio, brought to us by the Student Council. Victory over Cissna Park.
- 9—Pepi pep meeting this morning, and it did some good, Paxton trailed behind, and J. G. won.
- 12—Student Council members visited the Urbana, to two Champaign High Schools. Urbana thinks they have a pretty good team, but we'll win, I hope.
- 13—Well, what did I tell you, Urbana was beaten.
- 16—Students and fans were off to East Lynn tonight to watch J. G. basketball, played as only we can do it.
- 17—Mothers and daughters came out to enjoy a wonderful meal, and exchanged ideas on their daughters, probably.

Synopsis of the Plot

- 19—A gang of Thespians trooped up to Chicago to see **Lady Windemeres Fan**, and those who went really enjoyed themselves.
- 20-24—Victories over both Potomac and Ross-ville. Semester is over, so start with a clean slate and hang on for four more months.
- 26-27-28—Preliminaries of County tournament. On to the finals, fellows.
- 30-31—Finals of the County Tournament at Westville. Guess who won.

FEBRUARY

- 3—Victory over Paxton on their own floor.
- 4—Rev. Grace spoke at our first Religious meeting this year.
- 6—Georgetown, here we come, and here we go, with another win.
- 10—Sorry East Lynn, but we just had to win.
- 11—Westville had visitors tonight, and we came home with another win.
- 12—Good old Abe gave us an excuse for another holiday.
- 13—Oakwood went home rather sad, and another win for J. G.
- 19—A gala affair was held by the juniors, everyone present had a swell time.
- 20—Last game, and end of a perfect season. Too bad, Milford.
- 24-26—Everybody was in earnest, when they said they enjoyed, "The Importance of Being Earnest."
- 28—Speeches here and Speeches there, as J. G. contestants trooped off to the Speech Contest at Georgetown. And what do you know we had some firsts. Phil, Dot, and Marilyn, along with the play will go to the Sectionals.

MARCH

- 1—Here ye, here ye, Court is now in session, and a very good session it was too. You make a fine Magistrate, Rus.
- 2—Another trophy to add to the collection, from the Regional.
- 5—Won't be long now till we're out of school, end of 4th six weeks.
- 10-11-12—The Sectional—in our own gym! Thrills to climax a brilliant Basketball Season.
- 13—The play goes on to state, good luck kids. Three cheers and a rah, to those who brought home honors, in the speech contest.

- 16—He-Haw, and the donkeys are off, lets hope the riders aren't.
- 20—A lot of new faces were in town, due to the F.H.A. Rally Day. Some of J. G. girls acted as models that day.
- 26—Good Friday and It's out of school again, isn't this fun.
- 30—Waltz time—or vocal concert by the chorus. Remember Pauline dancing on the drums.

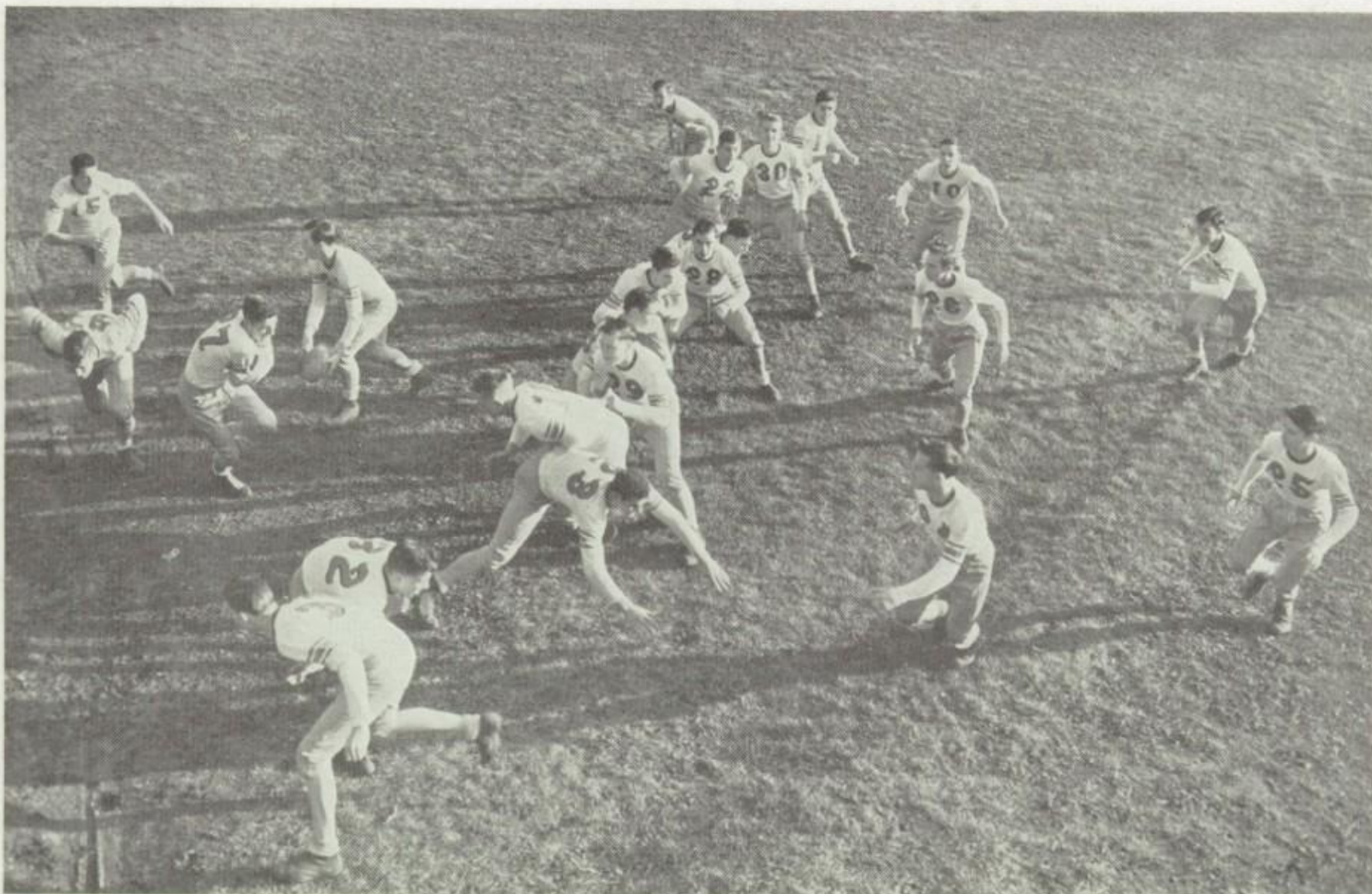
APRIL

- 2—Final spelling bee. Got your dictionary handy?
- 3—District solo, and ensemble contest, and a Long list of 1st ratings.
- 8—Seniors go to Danville to look into some different vocations for their college years.
- 10—Musical organization contest. Lots of sweet sounds by John Greer.
- 16—Bring home state honors, members of the play, we're rooting for you.
- 27—The band gave us a concert. What music! Ray, Powley, Silver, Littick, were soloists. Student Council visits Peoria, and a good time was enjoyed by everyone.
- 30—We wished the music contestants good luck at the State,—and they didn't let us down.

MAY

- 5-6—Last success for the school year, as "Dear Ruth," hits the stage.
- 8—With a flying skip, hop, and a jump, we were off to the district track meet.
- 10-13—Reid hit a home run, and away he went, to start us out in the District Baseball tourney.
- 14—The night that everyone has waited for, the Junior, Senior Prom. Thanks Juniors, for such a swell prom. The food was wonderful. You should have seen the look on the fellows faces, when they saw what good looking girls had been wandering around the halls of J. G. all year, just like a story book.
- 27-28—Baseball Finals.
- 30—Well Seniors this is just about the end of your High School days, see you at Baccalaureate tonight.
- 31—Now, you've got your diploma. Good luck to all of you in the future.

FOOTBALL



Act 1: Fall

Football—1st Team



Back row—Wise, Beam, Arnold, Saffel, Curry, Trimble, Drollinger, H.
2nd row—Adkins, Linn, Wagner, Drollinger, R., Samaras, Correll, Scullin, McFarland, Martin
Cloud, Neathery, Meyers.
1st row—Greenberg, Meritt, Kelenhofer, Siville, Holmberg, Coach standing in front.

A hard fighting John Greer team, captained by fullback Gene Meyers, compiled a season's record of 7 wins and 2 losses. Coach Astroth used nine returning lettermen as a nucleus for the team that outscored their opponents 171 to 100, for the total season. John Greer showed excellent offense averaging 19 points per game, while their defense held the opposition to 11 per game. 50 passes were attempted with 20 being completed, for a net of 349 yards and 5 touchdowns.

Although Neathery and Meyers provided most of the scoring punch, without the cooperation of every man on the team, the season would have been a failure. A lot is owed to the boys, who put in a lot of time and hard work in order to bring John Greer another winning season.

Extra credit goes to Herb Neathery who scored 87 points and averaged 8.8 yards each time he carried the ball, and to Gene Meyers who scored 54 points and carried the ball for an average of 6.3 yards. Both were awarded scholarships to the University of Illinois for their outstanding play. Neathery was also voted the most valuable player award.

Climaxing a successful season, Ray Eliot, head football coach at the University of Illinois, spoke at the annual Lions Club football banquet and Coach Astroth distributed 25 football letters to those earning them.

Three games were played by the second team, coached by Mr. Campbell, with Hoopeston winning 2 and losing 1.

Football—2nd Team

4th row—Brooks, Adkins, Mr. Campbell, Linn.

3rd row—Brown, Goold, Street, Metz, Gossett, L. Carter, Brewington.

2nd row—Davis, McGinley, Sherrill, Smythe.

1st row—Dunlap, Burton, D. Carter, Galloway, Longfellow, Clyden.



Gene Meyers, our captain, who embodied a clean hard sportsmanlike type of game.



Yea team! say team! These are the girls who led your support. Alice Wood, Betty Hopkins, Delores Gustine.

Student Government



2nd row—Miss Taylor, Galloway, Cooksey, Ray, Mr. Wolfe (seated) K. Freeland, Griner, Ott, Trimble, Brewington, Massengill, Ratzesberger, Samaras, Hixson, Neathery, Mr. Bross, McFarland.

1st row—Campbell, Martin, Musk, Madison, Cloud, Mell, Crouch, Wood, Gustine, Wilson (center).

Student Council

had an active year. One of the most important projects was the establishment of the student lounge. The council redecorated an unused room in the old building. It secured couches, covered chairs, a phonograph, and a ping-pong table. The room proved to be the center of attraction around school.

Other accomplishments were the purchase of new aide jackets, acquisition of coke and candy machines, and the installation of a public address system.

Every Tuesday morning the group met and discussed important school matters. It established rules of conduct and enforced them. It hired professional performers to entertain the students.

In January the members were divided into groups of six. Each group visited another high school in this vicinity.

The officers for the year were: mayor, Dick McFarland; clerk, Dolores Gustine; treasurer, Marilyn Griner; magistrate, Russell Cloud; sponsors, Mr. Wolfe and Miss Taylor.



Drivers Training

Back row—Terry, Cartwright, H., Armstrong, Scullin, M., Peirce, Griner, Longfellow, Hess, Goold, Siville.

1st row—Bell, Fawver, Mr. Brasel, Cawthon, Decker.



Industrial Arts

4th row—Boughton, Coleman, Butts, Ray, Meyers, B. Vorick, Goold, Brown, Wise, Burton, Powers.

3rd row—Mr. Brasel, Merritt, Good, Correll, Adkins, Worthall, Wagoner, Green, Smith, L. Vorick, Metz, Holt, Cartwright, Brooks, Armstrong, Gaddis, Neathery.

2nd row—Van Vickle, Dean, Brown, Pennington, Gossett, Olson, Means, Casner, Clyden, Whitlow, Beam, Galloway, Safell, Longfellow.

1st row—Siville, Greenberg, Holmberg, Mr. Kramer, Linn, Yoakum, Foster.



Chit Chat

Back row—Crouch, Suhre, Daugherty, Correll, Suddarth, Regan, Griner, Brewington, Curry, Miss Sanders.

Front row—Coop, Bell, Fawver, Linn, Campbell, Williams, J. Nelson, A. Sims.

Drivers Training

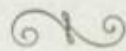
made its debut at John Greer this year. This training which is sponsored by the Chicago Motor Club and the American Auto Association is something new all over the country and John Greer is among the first schools in the state to add it to their curriculum.

The course requires a semester's work and a half credit is given for satisfactory completion.

Glenn Brasel, instructor of the course, had special training before he was allowed to teach the students.

A new Chevrolet was furnished by the sponsors as a training car for the course.

Sixteen students enrolled each semester and they are all agreed that this is one of the most practical courses a high school could offer.

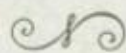


The Industrial Arts Club

was organized for the first time at John Greer in 1947. Membership is open to all students enrolled in any industrial subject. The activities of the club are related to the acquisition of industrial information by means of movies, talks by men from the industrial plants in the city, and visits to the local factories.

Nearly all of the boys who take mechanical drawing, shop, and manual training belong to the club since they can profit by seeing and hearing about the industries in which they will probably work in later years. Since this club was just formed last year, it has just got a good start, but will expand in future years.

The officers of the club are Lloyd Powers, president; Gene Myers, vice-president; Bob Merritt, secretary; and the Sponsor is Mr. Kramer.



CHIT CHAT

is the official grapevine system of John Greer. It contains all the delicious bits of gossip, amateur writing and adapted stories that the staff can scrape together.

Each issue has an attractive cover drawn by a member of the staff. Selected boys and girls of the week appear in every copy. Included this year is an added attraction, the life story of a band leader or other famous person.

The entire work of publication is done by the staff during spare time. Stories must be typed, stenciled, mimeographed, sorted and then stapled.

For the first semester Marilyn Griner was editor. In the second semester, Pauline Coop took over the reins.

Basketball



Act 2: Winter





3rd Row—Linn, G. Gossett, McFarland, Finley, Saffell.
2nd row—Echard, Arnold, Trimble, Meyers, Yoakum.
1st row—Coleman, Martin, Neathery, Cloud, Liz.

One of the greatest teams ever produced at John Greer rolled through the season undefeated, collecting 27 wins and scoring 1461 points. These 27 wins included 19 scheduled games, the Christmas tournament and the county tournament. The John Greer team not only became county champions, but also won the Vermilion County conference championship. This year's team received state-wide recognition by several Chicago Tribune and Daily News writeups and being rated among the top 15 by the United Press.

Four returning lettermen from last year's team and Coleman from Georgetown, constituted Coach Astroth's first five. The quintet, composed of Captain Herb Neathery and Cloud as the high scoring forwards, Coleman as a sharpshooting center, and Martin and Trimble as the great guard combination, were threat-

ened only once during the entire season. The seven substitutes proved themselves able to hold their own, upon substitution in most of the games.

The John Greer team surpassed last year's record in several ways. First of all comes this year's undefeated record, more points were scored this year, the county tournament was won, and also the ability that won them a berth among the top 15 teams of the state, as recorded by the United Press.

John Greer won the Regional Tourney and defeated Onarga Military before suffering the only loss of the season, to Champaign, in Sectional play.

Coach Campbell's reserves compiled 9 wins and 8 losses. The reserves were played liberally, with all of the squad seeing action.

Basketball Reserves



4th row—Campbell, Scullin, Tucker, Davis, Clark, McNeil.

3rd row—Gossett, Miller, Carter, Clyden, Rector, Brooks, Sherrill.

2nd row—Adkins, Merritt, Drollinger, H., Goold, Drollinger, R., Samaras, Correll.

1st row—Saffell, Linn.

Football

Won 7—Lost 2

Hoopeston, 13; Arcola, 7
Hoopeston, 25; Oakwood, 0
Hoopeston, 14; Pontiac, 6
Hoopeston, 25; Gibson City, 19
Hoopeston, 34; Westville, 18
Hoopeston, 7; W. LaFayette, 13
Hoopeston, 27; Watseka, 7
Hoopeston, 19; Kankakee, 6
Hoopeston, 7; Georgetown, 26

Basketball

Won 27—Lost 0

Hoopeston, 45; Bismark, 30
Hoopeston, 60; Henning, 33
Hoopeston, 41; Catlin, 33
Hoopeston, 54; Onarga, 45
Hoopeston, 49; Sheldon, 27
Hoopeston, 66; Rankin, 29
Hoopeston, 46; Mooseheart, 37
Hoopeston, 36; Cissna Park, 23
Hoopeston, 77; Paxton, 25
Hoopeston, 39; Urbana, 36
Hoopeston, 45; E. Lynn, 32
Hoopeston, 55; Potomac, 37

Score Card

Hoopeston, 57; Rossville, 32
Hoopeston, 63; Paxton, 44
Hoopeston, 42; Georgetown, 41
Hoopeston, 57; E. Lynn, 39
Hoopeston, 57; Westville, 40
Hoopeston, 54; Oakwood, 32
Hoopeston, 71; Milford, 39

Christmas Tournament

Hoopeston, 66; Rankin, 23
Hoopeston, 57; Cissna Park, 35
Hoopeston, 41; Roosville, 27

County Tournament

Hoopeston, 73; Armstrong, 33
Hoopeston, 48; Rossville, 31
Hoopeston, 60; E. Lynn, 39
Hoopeston, 55; Allerton, 34
Hoopeston, 47; Potomac, 24

REGIONAL

Hoopeston, 48; Milford, 35
Hoopeston, 51; Rossville, 41
Hoopeston, 59; Bismark, 38

SECTIONAL

Hoopeston, 69; Onarga Military, 48
Hoopeston, 30; Champaign, 51

Honor Society



3rd row—McFarland, Freeland, Lockhart, Lawrence, Miller.
2nd row—Finley, Williams, Suhre.
1st row—Musk, Olson, Miss Sanders, Littick, Hixson,
Cooksey.

had a definite goal for the year. Someone suggested having a scholarship. The society liked the idea. It began raising funds immediately. It sold **Cornjerker** pencils. At the games it hawked hats in school colors. In October the group sponsored a colorful masquerade ball. Through these activities it raised enough money for a \$100 scholarship.

Questionnaires were sent to all last year's members. From these information for the scrapbook concerning present occupations and future plans of the old members was gathered.

Each spring the organization sponsors a spelling bee. Every student in school is free to participate. A prize is given to the winner. Also, his name is engraved on a silver cup which is kept at school. Jane Littick was this year's champion.

There are thirteen members of the Honor Society this year. The officers are: president, Dow Cooksey; vice-president, Jean Olson; treasurer, Peggy Musk; historian, Pauline Hixson; secretary, Jane Littick; sponsor, Miss Sanders.



Aides

3rd row—Wilson, Clem, Winterstein, Crouch, VanVickle, Means.

2nd row—Griner, G. Potts, Daniels, Lawrence, Longfellow, Hedgecock.

1st row—Sims, McMurray, Wagoner, Mell, Longfellow, Campbell, Finch, Lockhart.



Concessions

4th row — Pugh, Goold, Hixson.

3rd row—Mrs. Feller, Galloway, Miller, Reynolds, Nelson, Holmberg, Lutz, Musk.

2nd row — Kelly, Jones, Williams.

1st row—Decker, Cawthon.



G.A.A.

3rd row — McVicker, Leemon, Madison, Ingram, Littick, Pustelnik, Daniels, Lockhart, H. Sinclair, Suddarth, Clyden, Alkire, Metz, Myers.

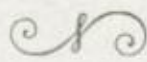
2nd row—Comstock, Kelnhofer, Witty, L. Sinclair, Combs, Sherrill, J. Longfellow, Pugh, C. Nelson, Miller, Cline, Campbell, Hedgecock.

1st row—Gustine, Bridges, Wood, Hixson, Goold, Correll, P. Thomas, Schwab.

Center — Miss Neathery.

AIDES

are a volunteer group from the student body. There are four Aide captains, one junior boy, one junior girl, a senior boy, and a senior girl. Twenty to thirty aides are chosen and assigned special duties, which consist of: getting to the games 45 minutes before time to open up the gym, and get it ready for the crowd, taking tickets, giving out programs, stamping people so they won't have to pay twice, trying to keep order, if a fight happens to start, and the job isn't finished when the game is over. There is usually a large crowd that has to be controlled and "please keep off the floor," is a familiar saying among the aides. Many enemies are made, but the aides are faithful to their job. After the crowd has cleared out, again the aides go to work. They scurry around the bleachers picking up all pop bottles, until the last one is out of sight.

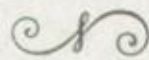


CONCESSIONS

is merely a dignified name for the cheerful group of girls who see that you are well supplied with candy, popcorn, or pop at all of the football and basketball games. "What'll it be, sir? Popcorn? Coming right up. That'll be ten cents, please. Thank you," are forever issuing from the concessions stand during a game. Those girls are certainly kept busy and they really do their jobs well.

Mrs. Feller is the sponsor of concessions and Peggy Musk is general chairman. There were several girls who carried candy and popcorn to the crowds. Hats off to them, too.

Remember, the next time that you buy a candy bar, bottle of pop, or sack of popcorn at a game, that the girls on concessions went to a great deal of work to see that you got it.



G. A. A.

started off the year as guests of Danville's Play Day. Our group is planning to be host to a Play Day in the spring. It is also planned to hold an overnight outing in the gym.

Three girls will receive State Awards this year for earning 2000 points. They are J. Littick, D. Gustine, and P. Hixson. Eight other girls are eligible for Local Awards.

Bowling takes place two nights every week. League I consisting of four Senior bowlers have won most of the games. P. Hixson leads with the highest average.

Officers for the year were P. Hixson, president; A. Wood, vice-president; and M. Goold, secretary and treasurer.



Spanish Club

Back row — Ratzenberger, T., Gatrell, Lee-mon, Miller, Elliott, In-gram, Tarman, Crum-ley, McGinley, Ray.

10th row — Williams, Wood, Cline, Ratzen-berger, M., Correll, Crouch, Hixson, McFar-land, Miss Below, Lit-tick, Linn, Thomas, B.

9th row — Holmberg, Freeland, K., Hess, Regan.

8th row — Campbell, Schwab, Toney, Good-rich, Brown, M.

7th row — Nelson, Suddarth, Madison, Mc-Vicker, Bridges, Schmidt.

6th row — Echard, Brewington, Carter, L., Leftwich.

5th row — Olson, Schinneman, Cooksey, Wilson.

4th row — Potts, Rey-nolds, Ott, Cloud.

3rd row — Freeland, R., Gustine.

2nd row — Thomas, P., Preston.

1st row — Powley, Mell, Bradham.



Lettermen's Club

7th row — Kelnhofer Echard, Neathery H., Myers, Neathery, J., Yoakum.

6th row — Samaras, Arnold.

5th row — Bishop, Greenberg, Vorick, Beam, Wise.

4th row — Siville, Mc-Farland, Dunlap, Cor-rell, Adkins, Linn.

3rd row — Curry, Mer-ritt, Drollinger H., Holmberg, Trimble.

2nd row — Cloud, Wagner, Martin, Droll-inger, R., Drollinger, H., Scullin.

1st row — Mr. Brasel, Fawver, Saffel, Daugh-tery, Mr. Astroth.

The Spanish Club

sponsored by Miss Below, is one of the largest clubs at John Greer, with approximately fifty-five members. The purpose of this organization is to help familiarize the students with customs of those living in Spain, South America and Mexico.

Anyone who is enrolled in, or has already had Spanish, may be a member of this club. The membership has been increasing each year.

At each of their meetings this year, the club has chosen a custom of some Spanish-speaking country as the theme for their meeting. Several movies about the different countries have also been shown.

The officers for the club this year were: Milton Linn, president; Bill Thomas, vice-president; Jane Littick, secretary; Carol Crouch, treasurer; Dick McFarland, social chairman; Pauline Hixson, parliamentarian.



THE LETTERMEN'S CLUB

. . . elected as their officers, Bob Saffell, president; Reid Martin, vice-president; Ray Siville, secretary-treasurer, and Coach Astroth and Mr. Brasel as sponsors. This year the club obtained the money to finish the project that was started in 1945, that a plaque honoring Hoopeston's war dead. The plaque was installed in the northeast part of the gymnasium and was dedicated between halves of one of John Greer's home games.

Also, this year, the club achieved another distinction that they felt was their due. Blue and white lettermen caps were ordered and paid for by the club and Athletic Association. Now everyone knows that they won their letters, because only members of the Lettermen's Club can obtain a cap.



THESPIANS

6th row — Ratzesberger, Hixson, Peers, Powers, Cline.

5th row — Street, J. Neathery, Linn, Boughton, Curry, Bishop, Thomas.

4th row — H. Neathery, McFarland, Griner, Hess, Bell, Samaras, Regan.

3rd row — Cooksey, Sills, Siville, Lockhart, R. Freeland, Littick, Tucker, Reynolds, M. Freeland.

2nd row — Silver, Elliott, Clark, Campbell, Ott, Finch, Pierce, Gustine, Gatrell.

1st row — Powley, Mr. Allen, Miller.

In action — Wood, Echard.



BOOK CLUB

Standing — Echard, Nelson, Ratzesberger, Greenberg, Elliott, Metz, Crumley, Gossett, Pennington, Adkins, Trimble, Dunlap, Thomas, Suddarth, Tarmen, Drollinger, Preston, Olson, Williams, Bradham, Samaras.

Seated — Bridges, Madison, Ingram, Linn, Regan, Ott, R. Freeland, Miller, Miss Meers, M. Freeland, Clark, Brown, Toney, McVicker, VanVickle, Clem, Gatrell, Boughton, Street, Cooksey.



F.H.A.

4th row — Pustelnik, Snively, Pugh, J. Nelson, Carter, Gholson, B., Peers, Coon, Gardner, Hubert, Mullins.

3rd row — Connor, Comstock, Ramsey, Floyd, A. Sims, Gocking, Kelnhofer, Riley, Zinn.

2nd row — Linn, Bridges, Kelly, Sherrill, Rector, E. Nelson, Longfellow, Wagoner, Witty, Hurst, Lane, Misner, Stormer, R. Sims.

1st row — Miss Bratt, Mrs. Feller, Leemon, Coop, Gocking, E. Peers, Daniels, Gould, Gallo-way, Lindsey, Mollott, J. Nelson, Swope.

Thespians

presented three major productions during the year. Bill Thomas found it hard to concentrate on his novel writing with Ellaretta Pierce and Hermit Street popping in and out of the action in George M. Cohan's melodramatic thriller, "Seven Keys to Baldpate."

In the winter, Oscar Wilde's classic comedy, "The Importance of Being Earnest" was presented. Both Bill Thomas and Chuck Boughton found how important it is to have the right Christian name to get the right girls, in this case, Mitzi Miller and Roseanne Freeland.

Finally, in the spring, the Thespians discovered the difficulties encountered when one engages in writing letters to people one has never seen before in Norman Krasna's "Dear Ruth."

Speech contests and many appearances before organizations found the Thespians in action. For the first time, John Greer was among the top twelve schools at the state Dramatic Festival.

Officers were: President, Jerry Echard; vice-president, Roy Powley; treasurer, Herb Neathery; parliamentarian, Dick McFarland; scrap-book keeper, Chuck Boughton; secretary, Alice Wood.



Book Club

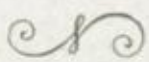
was open to every book-lover this year. Formerly, membership has been generally restricted to sophomores.

The Club had monthly activity period meetings. At each meeting a new book was reviewed by one member, and discussed by the others.

Last fall the group had a hayride and weiner roast that proved very successful. At Christmas, Bill Bradham entertained the organization at the Craig-Cunningham Hotel. Other night meetings were held at the Crumley home and in the student lounge.

One of the accomplishments of the Book Club was the organization of the student librarian system. Each period, a club member was in the library and was responsible for checking books out. This left the assembly teacher free to watch students and grade papers.

Officers for the year were: president, Don Trimble; vice-president, Charles Adkins; secretary-treasurer, Kay Freeland; social chairman, George Dunlap; sponsor, Miss Meers.



F. H. A.

under the leadership of their sponsors Miss Bratt and Mrs. Feller, had a very interesting and successful year.

For the purpose of raising money, the club operated a hat-check at the basketball games and sponsored a "Harvest Stock Dance," in the gym.

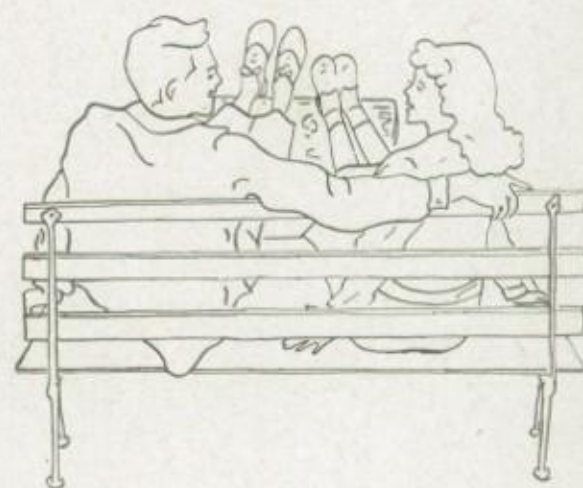
At Christmas time, they filled baskets and sent them to the needy families. They entertained the mothers in January, the fathers in March, and the eighth grade girls in April. The first part of the year, they had a chili supper and a formal initiation for all new members.

Everything was run efficiently under the direction of the following officers, M. Goold, president; J. Galloway, vice-president; secretary, B. Daniels; treasurer, P. Bridges; reporter, L. Linn, and historian, I. Peers.

Baseball and Track



Act 3: Spring





Stee-rike!

For the first time since the early 1920's this call was heard by a John Greer baseball team. A large number of prospects, for a first year sport, reported to coach Astroth. Fifteen, including two managers, received letters. The baseball team also had a winning season, winning six and losing five. The team entered the district finals, but was eliminated by Cissna Park.

Those receiving baseball letters were: Bill Henk, Bob Merritt, Herb Neathery, Reid Martin, Bob Vorick, Don Trimble, Charles Hopkins, Russell Cloud, Bill Samaras, Gene Meyers, Dick Arnold, Jack Neathery, Howard Sheffield and managers Charles Adkins and George Dunlap.

The team played considerably good ball with both the infield and outfield being handled well. Pitchers Martin and Samaras, handled ably by the Catchers Merritt and Neathery, showed the makings of fine pitchers. The John Greer team proved they were equally as good at bat, with Neathery, Meyers, and Trimble leading the attack.

John Greer was also well represented in track meets, including the Urbana Relay, Vermilion County Track and Field Meet at Georgetown, and the District Track meet at Monticello.

All the boys participating in these two sports were quite grateful to the two hard working managers, C. Adkins and G. Dunlap. Chasing foul balls, keeping track of equipment and numerous other jobs were the order of the day for these boys, who earned the John Greer, blue and white letter for their efforts.



Band

Left to right

Back row—Daugherty, Goodrich, Rector, Linn, Barrick, Woods, Castrodale, Thomas, Green, Riley, Correll, Huber, Metz, Potts, Zinn, McNeal, Silver, Ray, Elliott.

3rd row—Shinneman, Gockings, Ratzesberger, Schwab, Lane, Alkire.

2nd row—Powley, Freeland, Ott, McVicker, Leftwich, Crouch, Sills, Gatrell, Suhre, Toney, Suddarth, Myers.

1st row—Littick, Brown, Kinder, Echard, Tarman, Stormer, Lee-mon, Regan, Cline, Mr. Jensen.



Choral Club

4th row—Crumbley, Tarman, Walters, Griner, Tucker, Regan.

3rd row—Russell, Robertson, Wise, Pustel-nik, Campbell, Bridges, Correll.

2nd row—Glover, Hurst, Mallott, Moore, Ingram, Hedgecock, Cawthon, Holmberg.

1st row—Miss Hix, Goodrich, Clements, Kel-enhofer, Wantland, Longfellow, Sherrill, Miller, Glass.



Dance Orchestra

Piano—Tarman.

Last row—Regan, Myers, Elliott, McNeal.

1st row—Gatrell, Sills, Cline, Echard, Mr. Jen-sen.

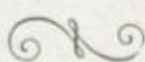
Drums—Green.

THE BAND

under the direction of Mr. Jensen, has certainly done some fine work this year. Those long hours they spent marching every morning last fall weren't spent in vain because they copped first place in the Band Marching Contest at Bloomington. They have also given some very fine performances at the Football and Basketball games. Some of those games might have been pretty dull if it weren't for the Band playing at half time and between the games.

We can't forget the wonderful job the twirlers have done this year. Led by Shirley Daugherty, who won a first and second place in the twirling contest, they have really put some color and life into the appearance of the Band.

The officers of the Band this year are Joanne Cline, president; Bill Thomas, vice-president and Harold Ray, secretary, who have done an excellent job of getting the new awards for the band.



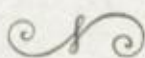
CHORAL CLUB

furnishes much of the entertainment for John Greer: They are under the leadership of Miss Hix.

In the fall they sang at the District P.T.A. meeting. Every year they participate in the music contest as contestants in both the solo and the choral groups.

The girls quartet consists of M. Campbell, first soprano, M. Tucker, second soprano, D. Crumley, first alto, and L. Sherrill, second alto.

The boys quartet consists of J. Elliott, first tenor, E. Clark, second tenor, R. McNeil, first bass, and B. Gatrell, second bass. Both groups have been very successful with their singing for various clubs, and for the assembly programs at John Greer.



DANCE ORCHESTRA

who furnished the music for this year of dancing at J. G. Remember this;—"Sweet or hot, that's what we've got"? If you don't, you should! Those are the magic words that have kept us dancing for several years and will for many more.

Let's look behind this haze of magic: Oh! that sweet tone must be the Aladdins who rub the magic saxophones. There's VooDoo in the brass section. Who Do? Why, the way those two slip horns and trumpets work, would make even Houdine look slow and out of time, there must be a Genii here some place—Oh yes, that's the piano player who aids the drummer with that mystic rhythm.

Who is the power that controls this magic. Why, that's Mr. Jensen, our Band Director, who says the magic words—"One! Two! Three! Four!"



Editorial Staff

Standing—Mr. Allen, Castrodale, Silvers, Powley, Echard.

Seated — Campbell, Griner, Wilson, Hess, Cooksey, Hixson, Gattrell, Collins, Bell.



Business Staff

Standing—Scullin, M. Smith, Crouch, A. Sims, J. Nelson, L. Sinclair, Bjorklund, Curry, M. Longfellow, Samaras, Bishop, Dunlap, Cloud, Harrington.

Seated—Silvers, Hopkins, Coop, Mr. Whitehouse, Williams, G. Myers.



Spotlight

4th row—Regan, Tarmann, Ott, Bishop, Pennington.

3rd row—Hess, Cooksey, Goold, Echard.

2nd row — Crouch, Wilson, Suhre, Linn, Littick, Miss Meers, Williams, Miller, Huffman, Sims.

Front row—Longfellow, Combs, Jones.

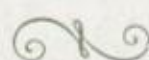
PICAYUNE EDITORIAL STAFF

has compiled for you the book you are now holding.

With Mr. Allen, advisor, the staff consisted of editors from each class so all views could be considered. Senior editors are D. Cooksey and P. Hixson; Junior editors, B. Gatrell, H. Hess; Sophomore editors, B. Wilson, B. Collins; Freshman editor, J. Echard.

Snapshots were taken by R. Silvers, R. Powley, D. Castrodale, and B. Gatrell. Will and Phrophesies were worked out by Griner, Bell and Campbell.

FROM THE STAFF—"WE HOPE YOU LIKE IT."



The Business Staff

of the Picayune is a vital organization. Its purpose is to keep the cost of each yearbook within the students' reach. This was accomplished by various methods, under the guidance of Mr. Whitehouse, sponsor.

It sold a large number of advertisements to Hoopeston stores. This was the chief source of income. In February, it sponsored a movie at the local theater. From this a small profit was realized. The Annual Donkey Basketball game was held in the spring.

Through these activities, the price each student had to pay for the yearbook was less than 30% of the actual cost.

Cards were mailed to the 1947 graduates, telling them how they could get copies of the yearbook. Several graduates responded.

The staff is divided into two groups, Joan Williams is chairman of the finance committee. The sales committee is headed by Pauline Coop.



The Spotlight

can be congratulated for being a wonderfully organized group this year. Each week the newsy Spotlight appears in the Hoopeston Chronicle Herald.

This group has toured the newspaper office and has heard Editor Hud Robbins tell about newspaper work.

Weekly meetings take place during the twenty-minute period. At these meetings reviews from the book **Modern News Reporting** by Carl Warren are given. Also movies have been shown to the group.

Editor-in-chief, Jane Littick; Feature editor, Helen Hess; and News editor, Paul Bishop are to be thanked for their work as well as the reporters and their sponsor, Miss Meers.

NAME:	I WILL:	PRIZE POSSESSION:	CHATTER:
Dick Arnold	My charm with women to Don Trimble.	My personality.	Aw, shut up!!
Harry Beam	My place at JGHS, to someone better.	My roller skates.	I'd reckon.
Phyllis Bell	My silly laugh to Joanne Finch	My dates with a Notre Dame student.	And—kid!!
Irene Bjorklund	My ability to do bookkeeping to Mary Scullen.	My middle name.	You don't know do you?
Virginia Conner	My long fingernails to Bev Holmberg.	My Speech ability.	Hurry up!!
Dow Cooksey	My job at the Lorraine to anyone who wants it.	My books.	Duh-h-h-h.
Pauline Coop	My shorthand and typing ability to Wanda Sills.	My East Lynn Beaus.	Golly Moses.
Carol Crouch	My waistline to ? ? ?	Our Airplane.	You Rat!!
Shirley Daughtery	My position as drum majorette to D. Goodrich.	Our little Ford.	That makes me so mad!
Jerry Echard	My ability to get along with R. C. A. to Trimble.	My Thespian Leadership.	I don't know.
Betty Fawver	My ugly hands to Joanne Finch.	My ability to scare people while driving.	My gosh!
Charles Finley	My crewcut to Bill Thomas.	Graduating in '48.	I've gotta sell this Muskrat.
Lester Glover	My seat in Speech class to anyone who wants it.	My pleasant smile.	What a life.
Jane Gray	My blushing to Joanne Finch, she can use it.	My hair.	You know.
Marilyn Griner	To my favorite cousin Mary, my place in the graduating class for her to use next year.	My driver's license.	Is that so—hum!
Dolores Gustine	My dark eyes to Linda Linn, and my cheerleading to A. Wood	My extra large class ring.	Hey! Stinkey.
Pauline Hixson	My walk across the street to Jean Tarman.	My soft-shoe dance.	Don't let it throw you.
Ronald Holt	My seat in Mech. Drawing to Charles Adkins.	My smile.	Hi!
Betty Hopkins	My ability to talk in class to Peggy Hedgecock.	Cheerfulness.	Lame-Brain.
Lorene Lawrence	My alarm clock to Jean Galloway.	Peg's friendship.	Oh, no!
Milton Linn	My manager job to some poor devil.	My false teeth.	Mello greetings, "shukey, dukey."
Jane Littick	My place in marching in band to M. Brown.	My doll collection.	Oh! darn.
Maxine Longfellow	My shortness to Bob Gould.	My out of town beaus.	Wait a minute.
Max Longfellow	My Aide Captain jacket to Bill Wilson.	My red, red, blush.	Ye, gods!!
Rosemary Misner	My pug nose to Bev Stormer.	Just Puz.	Oh, be quiet.
Fannie Moore	My job at the Theater to Donna Deck.	All my jewelry.	You don't know, do you?
Peggy Musk	My shouting in Secretarial practice to G. Lockhart.	Rene Lawrence.	Awh, Rene Baby!
Gene Myers	My ability to play football on a basketball court to Bob Merritt.	I'm a North Sider.	Neat isn't she!
Dick McFarland	My position as Mayor to Reid Martin.	My ability to hold office.	Now, it seems to me.
Herbie Neathery	My curly hair to Reid Martin.	Women!	Look at that!!
Jack Neathery	My typing ability to Russel Cloud.	My identification bracelet.	Chiwawa.
June Nelson	My classes with Mr. Whitehouse to Edith.	My intelligence.	Oh-h-h-h-h no!
Jean Olson	My address book to Maxine Brown.	My 4H ability.	Oh, Carol!
Pearl Olson	The late hours I keep on dates to M. Decker.	My silly laugh.	Oh! you know it.
Ellaretta Pierce	My quick temper to Dolores Goodrich.	Memories of being "Mary" at "Baldpate."	Oh, shut up!!
Lloyd Powers	My size to defend myself with, to Don Carter.	Being heavy weight of my class.	Oh, No!
Roy Powley	My place as first chair clarinetist to K. Freeland.	Ability to play any instrument.	He who hesitates is lost.
Todd Ratzesberger	My masculine physique to Trimble.	Ability to make People laugh.	Fifty lashes with a wet noodle.
Harold Ray	My height to Marvin Clyden.	My trumpet.	It ain't easy.
Pat Regan	To Thomas my favorite cousin, all my Irish and fights with Jensen.	My Irish Ancestry.	You phoney!!
Mary Lou Reynolds	My ability to get to games on time to K. Freeland, and J. Ott.	My quietness.	Well, thanks sporty!!
Bob Saffell	My ability in Physics class to Charles Adkins.	My curly hair.	Can I? Huh??
Pat Silver	My piano playing to Betty Daniels.	Dancing.	Don't disturb me.
Raymond Silvers	My "way" with women to Bill Thomas.	My old beat up coronet.	Any old thing will do.
Alyne Sims	My curly hair to my cousin Marie.	My Personality.	Oh, go chase yourself.
LaVonne Sinclair	My long fingernails to my little sis, Harriet.	Milford friends.	Are you kidding?
Marian Smith	My long fingernails to Marie Gockings.	My diamond ring.	You'll get used to it.
Esther Snively	My brains to Jean Galloway.	My "Golden Voice".	More fun!!
Helen Suhre	My ability to play baritone to E. Suddarth.	My new baritone.	Oh, fine!!
Kenneth Terry	My place in Driver's Training, to someone who can't drive.	My speech class ability.	I don't think so.
Mary Lee Tucker	My place in Girls Quartette to E. Clark.	My heighth.	Boing!!
Bob Vorick	My baseball suit to Pee Wee Drollinger.	My smile.	Doggone.
Joan Williams	My blonde hair to Joanne Cline.	My Speaking ability.	Jimeny frost.
Earl Wise	My curly hair to Bill Wilson.	My curly hair.	I S'pose.
Maedell Witty	My southern accent to all who were deprived of one.	My pleasant smile.	You all.
Charles Yoakum	My crew cut to Bill Harrington.	My eyes.	Dry bones.

COMING ATTRACTIONS—1965

Latest reports from Hollywood fresh off the press. Believe it or not, and maybe you'd better not.

Flash: "Bugs" Casinova, the former Dick Arnold, is spending the winter away from noisy Hollywood, in Florida, with his faithful horse "Stur-up."

The famous Model, Mary Lee Tucker and her agent Joanne Williams, dropped in to Paramount yesterday to see about Miss Tucker's screen test which will no doubt be a success.

A new Charles will make the ladies swoon in this day and age, as Charles Yoakum steps into Mr. Boyer's place. In his next production, he will be Co-starred with Miss Alyne Sims, a sensational discovery.

The famous L. A. Coach Herbie Neathery has at last decided to announce his engagement, but we still don't know who she is.

Arriving from Paris back to the good old U. S. A., Miss Marilyn Griner admits it is good to be home after her long years of studying Art in Europe.

Pauline Hixson and June Nelson, the Hedda Hopper and Louella Parsons of today are still feuding and fighting over hats.

The movie thriller, a series of the "Fat Man", has gone over with a bang, starring that brilliant personality Lloyd Powers.

Despite the past rumors, Jack and Dolores Neathery have made no report of a separation.

It's in the News:

The famed J. Echard holder of the undefeated tennis title was badly beaten by the miraculous playing of Pat Regan, the little Irish gal from the mid-west.

Pearl Olson, the former Mrs. Bob Vorick, Mrs. Earl Wise, Mrs. Yetzal-pretzil, and Mrs. Saffell, is now on the prowl, and may soon add another actor to her list.

Carol Crouch, Jean Olson, and Helen Suhre members of the Midwest Farm Wives Association visited Hollywood as guests of Miss Betty Hopkins, the famous stunt girl of Paramount. They were thrilled with the excitement of Hollywood.

Ellaretta Thomas is playing the leading roll opposite her husband in Orchestra Wives. Phil Bell, now, Mrs. Phil Doney, our countries best loved comedy star, was critically injured in a motor cycle accident, and her husband rushed from Notre Dame, to be at her bedside.

Betty Fawver is following in her dad's footsteps, directing traffic at Hollywood and Vine.

The following housewives, the former Irene Bjorklund, Pauline Coop, Fannie Moore, and Esther Snively, are the lucky winners of the Puddle-Wuddle Water Softener Contest. They will be escorted around Hollywood by the Mayor, Dick McFarland, and his body guard, Ronald Holt.

Marion Smith, Maedell Witty and LaVonne Sinclair, are partners in Crime, in the forth coming production, "Crime Pays, in Ten Easy Lessons."

The movie of the life of Gene Meyers is going into production this month. This famous baseball player's life will make a thrilling production, love interest will be played by one of his fans, Mary Lou Reynolds.

The most talked about party of the month was given by Maxine and Max Longfellow, in honor of Hollywood's up and coming producer Todd Ratzesburger of the Metra-Ratzesburger-Mayor productions. All ladies present were wearing corsages presented by Mrs. Schuler, the former Mary Jane Gray.

The most talked about character in Hollywood this week, is Shorty Daugherty. With the aid of her gold plated stilts, she isn't short anymore. They were designed by the famous shoe designer Rosemary Misner.

Virginia Connor and Patricia Silver have given up their dancing careers to be the wives of the famous movie producers, Lester Glover and Kenneth Terry.

The picture of the week, **Possessed**, and **Depressed**, starring Lorene, "the Look," Lawrence, and Milton, "the Unlooked" Linn. A story of deep concern with a wonderful supported cast of:

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